

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO (CANTON)**

IN RE:

JOSEPH GARY TOPA

DEBTOR

CASE NO. 20-60922-JPG
JUDGE JOHN P. GUSTAFSON
CHAPTER 13

**NEW APPLICATION FOR
ALLOWANCE OF ATTORNEY FEES**

Now comes Deborah L. Mack, Counsel for Debtor, and hereby makes a **new** application for an allowance of reasonable attorney fees for services rendered or to be rendered in this case and to be paid from the monies paid in by or for the Debtor under provisions of the plan. The original application was dated August 12, 2022 (Doc. 39) and denied on September 29, 2022 (Doc. 44).

This case commenced on May 26, 2020 as a Chapter 13 over-the-means case with 100% repayment to nonpriority unsecured creditors plus 2.75% interest in which Counsel's fee was \$3,900 and **paid at the time of filing**. Counsel met with Debtor on a frequent basis over the two-year duration of this case, performed due diligence research, prepared his petition, plans and related court documents, coordinated tax return requests, coordinated TFS payments to Trustee, coordinating his taking the two required financial courses, coordinated his utility costs, house repair verification/estimates including 30 pictures, reviewing each claim with Debtor, downloaded National Data Center's information on his case and made into meaningful Excel spreadsheets so that Debtor charted his progress throughout his case. Debtor frequented the office because stays well-informed of his finances, is without a computer/scanner/printer and wants thorough explanations. Counsel requests approval of the attached invoice in the amount of \$3,900 for the services performed by her staff and her regarding this case. The amount requested is reasonable for the amount of services performed by counsel and her staff.

Furthermore, counsel for Debtor did not and has not requested that the Trustee pay attorney fees. As stated supra, the fees were paid to counsel at the filing of the case. Additionally, Debtor has serious medical problems and had difficulty getting into the office of his counsel to sign the end-of-case paperwork required under Administrative Order 08-06. Counsel filed papers to extend the closing of the case so that sufficient time permitted the filing of same. On October 4, 2022, those end-of-case documents were filed (Docs 52, 53).

WHEREFORE, Counsel requests that her application be approved.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Deborah L Mack, # 0067347
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, hereby certify that the foregoing Application for Allowance of Attorney Fees was electronically transmitted on October 10, 2022, to the following who are listed on the Court's Electronic Mail Notice List:

- Eric S. Miller ericmiller@neo.rr.com
- Dynele L Schinker-Kuharich DLSK@Chapter13Canton.com
- United States Trustee (Registered address)@usdoj.gov

And via regular US Mail, postage prepaid, to the following individuals or entities and all creditors on the matrix attached hereto and made a part hereof:

PRA Receivables Management, LLC
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Norfolk, VA 23541

Joseph Topa
210 Wilmar Avenue
Mansfield, OH 44904

/s/ Deborah L Mack
Attorney for Debtor

Ohio Financial Lawyers LLC
53 East Main Street
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Joe Topa
210 Wilmar Ave
Mansfield, OH 44903

Balance \$0.00
Invoice # 02040
Invoice Date May 4, 2020
Payment Terms Due Date
Due Date May 04, 2020

IN RE Topa, Joe CH13-F (20-60922)

Flat Fees

Date	Item	Description	Amount
05/04/2020	Flat Fee	Ch13 Attorney Fees. See fee agreement and disclosure of attorney compensation for details.	\$3,900.00

Flat Fee Total: **\$3,900.00**

Expenses

Date	EE	Activity	Description	Cost	Quantity	Line Total
05/04/2020	DM	Filing fee for Chapter 13 (repay) bankruptcy		\$310.00	1.0	\$310.00
05/04/2020	DM	Credit Report - single person		\$37.00	1.0	\$37.00

Expense Total: **\$347.00**

Flat Fee Sub-Total:	\$3,900.00
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Sub-Total:	\$4,247.00
Total:	\$4,247.00
Amount Paid:	\$4,247.00
Balance Due:	\$0.00

Label Matrix for local noticing
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Case 20-60922-rk
Northern District of Ohio
Canton
Tue Jun 9 07:27:53 EDT 2020

Advantage Credit Union Inc
700 N Stumbo Rd
Mansfield, OH 44906-1279

Barclays Bank Delaware
P.o. Box 8803
Wilmington, DE 19899-8803

Capital One Walmart
PO Box 4069
Carol Stream, IL 60197-4069

Commenity Capital Bank
PO Box 51319
Los Angeles, CA 90051-5619

Community Medical Service
25400 West Eight Mile Rd
Southfield, MI 48033-3866

Department Store National Bank/Macy's
Po Box 8218
Mason, OH 45040-8218

(p)DISCOVER FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC
PO BOX 3025
NEW ALBANY OH 43054-3025

Home Depot Credit Svc/Synchrony
PO Box 9001010
Louisville, KY 40290-1010

Mansfield Stark Summit
PO Box 6183
Hermitage, PA 16148-0922

PRA Receivables Management, LLC
PO Box 41021
Norfolk, VA 23541-1021

Arbors of Mifflin
1600 Crider Rd
Mansfield, OH 44903-8524

Capital One
Attn: Bankruptcy
PO Box 30285
Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0285

Capital One buy power card
PO Box 4069
Carol Stream, IL 60197-4069

Commerce Bank
811 Main Street
10th Floor, KCBC-10
Kansas City, MO 64105-2005

Credit One Bank
PO Box 60500
City of Industry, CA 91716-0500

Discover Bank
Discover Products Inc
PO Box 3025
New Albany, OH 43054-3025

Fresenius Kidney Care
647 Bally Row
Mansfield, OH 44906-2967

LVNV Funding, LLC
Resurgent Capital Services
PO Box 10587
Greenville, SC 29603-0587

Merrick Bank/CardWorks
Attn: Bankruptcy
PO Box 9201
Old Bethpage, NY 11804-9001

United States Bankruptcy Court
Ralph Regula U.S. Courthouse
401 McKinley Avenue SW
Canton, OH 44702-1745

Barclays Bank Delaware
Attn: Bankruptcy
PO Box 8801
Wilmington, DE 19899-8801

Capital One
Po Box 30253
Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0253

Central Ohio Primary Care
655 Africa Rd
Westerville, OH 43082-9808

Commerce Bank
P O Box 411036
Kansas City, MO 64141-1036

Credit One Bank
PO Box 98878
Las Vegas, NV 89193-8878

Discover Financial
Attn: Bankruptcy
PO Box 3025
New Albany, OH 43054-3025

HELP Financial Corp
PO Box 6408
Plymouth, MI 48170-8408

Macy's
PO Box 78008
Phoenix, AZ 85062-8008

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Dynele L Schinker-Kuharich Office of the Chapter 13 Trustee 200 Market Avenue North, Ste. LL30 Canton, OH 44702-1435	Joseph Gary Topa 210 Wilmar Ave Mansfield, OH 44903-2434
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The preferred mailing address (p) above has been substituted for the following entity/entities as so specified by said entity/entities in a Notice of Address filed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. 342(f) and Fed.R.Bank.P. 2002 (g) (4).

Discover Financial Pob 15316 Wilmington, DE 19850	Pheonix Financial Services 8902 Otis Ave Ste 103 A Indianapolis, IN 46216
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(d)PRA Receivables Management, LLC PO Box 41021 Norfolk, VA 23541-1021	End of Label Matrix Mailable recipients 40 Bypassed recipients 1 Total 41
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